

Appln. No. 09/879,722  
Amdt. dated July 7, 2006  
Reply to Office Action dated April 7, 2006

IFW 2684



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Yasufumi Ichikawa  
Appln. No. : 09/879,722  
Filed : June 16, 2001  
Title : RADIO COMMUNICATIONS APPARATUS AND TRANSMISSION  
POWER CONTROL METHOD THEREOF

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Examiner: : Angelica Perez  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT "E"**

Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated April 7, 2006. The three-month period for responding to the Office Action expires on July 7, 2006. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$100.00 for 2 extra claims in excess of 20 (18 previously paid for).

Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 17 of this paper.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date indicated below.

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Signature of Attorney

**July 7, 2006**

Date